

OFFICE MEMORANDUM • STANFORD UNIVERSITY

DATE: July 12, 1962

TO : Dr. Joshua Lederberg
Department of Genetics

FROM :

SUBJECT:

Dear Dr. Lederberg:

Dean Bowker has asked me to request your assistance in the preparation of a University-wide proposal to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for training grant funds. Since this request for fellowship funds related to space research is to be University-wide, we were not thinking of making more than a modest request on behalf of your department.

In making the request from this office, we should like the following information from you to assist us in our task:

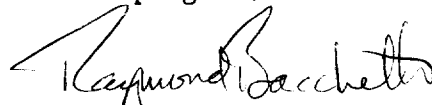
A statement (about 200 words long) on the past and present space related research activities of your department; and

A statement (also about 200 words in length) telling how, with the help of NASA funds, your department could effectively utilize one or two doctoral students training for space-related research and what areas this research might cover; and, in addition, what additional faculty would be needed to accomplish this training.

NASA provides funds for the augmentation of faculty as well as for student stipends and expenses under this program.

We are somewhat rushed to prepare this very comprehensive proposal by the end of July and it would be of considerable help to Dean Bowker if he could receive your reply next week.

A summary of what NASA has in mind for this program may be helpful to you in preparing your statements. If so, please call me at local 2751 and I shall be glad to tell you what I know of the program.



Raymond Bacchetti
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